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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION **DATED 06/18/03**

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Applicant:

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For

**Condensed Phase Conversion and Growth of** 

**Nanorods and Other Materials** 

Group Art Unit

Examiner

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## Certification Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

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Dear Sir:

P.O. Box 1450

Commissioner for Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

The Examiner states that restriction is required under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to one of the following inventions:

Applicant elects to prosecute Group II, which includes claims 9-13 and 16-28, drawn to a method of making a composition comprising nanorods, classified in class 117,75 without traverse.

Applicant also submits herewith a copy of the original transmittal form for this divisional application, which indicates that Claims 1-8 and 14-15 (Group I of the Restriction Requirement) were to have been cancelled when this application was filed.

If any additional fees are required, please appropriately charge or credit those fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0456 of Gray Cary Ware & Freidenrich, LLP.

Respectfully submitted,

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